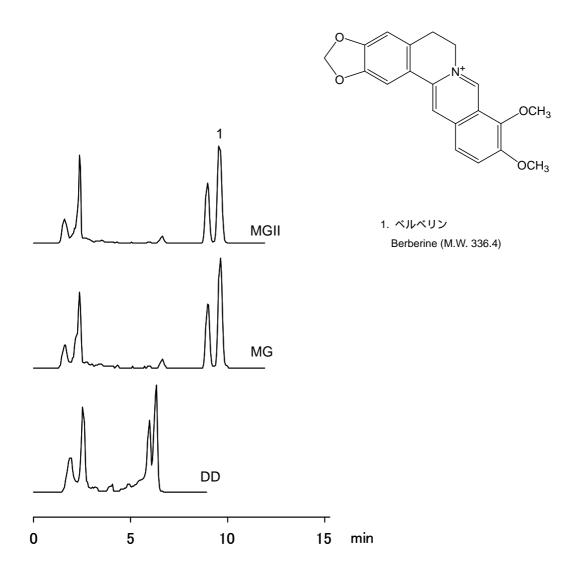
オウバク中ベルベリン

Berberine

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Phellodendron bark is one of the crude medicines listed in The Japanese Pharmacopoeia. It is mainly used as antidiarrheal and stomachic, and formulated into many Chinese medicines and other pharmaceuticals. Berberine, one of its constituents, is known to have a strong antimicrobial activity.



[HPLC Conditions]

Column : CAPCELL PAK C₁₈ MGII S5 ; 4.6 mm i.d. x 150 mm

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Mobile phase : CH₃CN / H₂O / KH₂PO₄ / Sodium dodecyl sulfate

= 500 mL / 500 mL / 3.4 g / 1.7 g

Flow rate : 0.7 mL/minTemperature : $40 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$

Detection : UV 345 nm

Inj.vol. : $10 \,\mu\text{L}$ Pretreatment : Phellodendron bark was cut into small pieces, and ground in a mortar

with a pestle. 0.5 g of the ground scutellaria was dispersed in a solution (30 mL, 10 w/v% HCl / CH $_3$ OH = 1 / 100). The dispersion was refluxed on a water bath for 30 min. After cooling it down, the dispersion was filtered with filter paper. The residue was rinsed with the solution. The filtered liquid and the solution used for rinsing were added together and adjusted to 100 mL in a volumetric flask. A small amount of the solution

was further filtered with a 0.2-µm filter, and introduced to HPLC.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 μ g/mL = 1 ppm

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